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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
HISASHI KAWAI) Examiner: W. Garber
Application No.: 08/426,798) Group Art Unit: 2604
Filed: April 24, 1995)
For: IMAGE INPUT DEVICE FOR)
INPUTTING IMAGES OF A)
PLURALITY OF SUBJECTS)
BY SWITCHING IMAGE)
PICKUP DIRECTION) March 26, 1997

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner for
Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action
dated November 26, 1996, one month, from February 26, 1997 to
and including March 26, 1997.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the
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Abigail Cousins
(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

Abigail Cousins March 26, 1997
Signature Date of Signature

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 758-2400. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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